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METHOD AND DEVICE FOR TRANSMITTING REQUESTS FROM A
REQUESTING MACHINE TO A DOMAIN NAME SERVER

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The invention relates to a method and device for sending a request (R) from a requesting machine (H) to a domain name server (1, 2, 3). In the method of the invention a prior test of the validity of the destination
10 telephone number (NTEL) of the request (R) is executed automatically and locally to the requesting machine (H) relative to a database (BD) local to said requesting machine (H) in order to forward the request (R) from the requesting machine (H) to the domain name server (1, 2,
15 3) only if its telephone number (NTEL) passes said test.

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